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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
NORTHERN SUNRISE WATER COMPANY FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER UTILITY
SERVICE IN COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA.

DOCKET NO. W-20453A-06-0247

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
SOUTHERN SUNRISE WATER COMPANY FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER UTILITY
SERVICE IN COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA.

DOCKET NO. W-20454A-06-0248

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION
OF NORTHERN SUNRISE WATER COMPANY
AND SOUTHERN SUNRISE WATER COMPANY
FOR THE APPROVAL OF SALE AND TRANSFER
OF WATER UTILITY ASSETS, AND
CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATES OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY, FOR
MIRACLE VALLEY WATER COMPANY,
COCHISE WATER COMPANY, HORSESHOE
RANCH WATER COMPANY, CRYSTAL WATER
COMPANY, MUSTANG WATER COMPANY,
CORONADO ESTATES WATER COMPANY, AND
SIERRA SUNSET WATER COMPANY, LOCATED
IN COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA.

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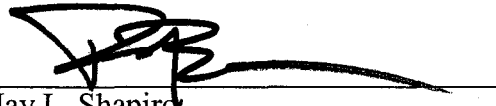
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4 On May 5, 2006, Applicant mailed notification to all customers of the McLain Water
5 Systems. The affidavit of Gregory S. Sorensen is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

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7 DATED this 18 day of May, 2006.

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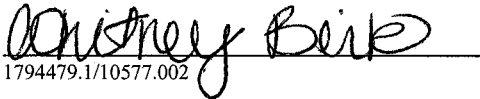
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SIERRA SUNSET WATER
COMPANY

Docket Nos. W-20453A-06-0247 and W-20454A-06-0248

and
W-20453A-06-0251 et al.

On April 13, 2006, Northern Sunrise Water Company and Southern Sunrise Water Company (collectively "Applicants") filed applications with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for: (1) Approval of the sale and transfer of utility assets and cancellation of the Certificates of Convenience and Necessity of Miracle Valley Water Company, Inc., Cochise Water Company, Horseshoe Ranch Water Company, Crystal Water Company, Mustang Water Company, Coronado Estates Water Company, and Sierra Sunset Water Company ("McLain Systems"); and (2) for new Certificates of Convenience and Necessity to provide public water utility service in the service area served by the McLain Systems. The Commission has consolidated the applications. If the applications are granted, the assets of the McLain Systems will be transferred to Applicants and Applicants will be the exclusive providers of water utility service in the McLain Systems' service territories. Applicants would be required by the Commission to provide service under rates and charges and terms and conditions established by the Commission. The applications are available for inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the Commission in Phoenix at 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona, and in Tucson, at 400 West Congress St. Suite 218, Tucson, Arizona and at the offices of the Applicant at 4055 Campus Dr. Sierra Vista, Arizona. The applications are also available on the Commission's website www.aczz.gov, using the e-Docket link. The Commission will hold a public comment meeting on this matter on May 22, 2006 at 5:00 p.m. at the Buena High School Performing Arts Center's Lecture Pod, 5225 Buena School Boulevard, Sierra Vista, Arizona 85635. Any person with an interest in this matter may appear at the public comment meeting and make a statement concerning the applications. The Commission will hold an evidentiary hearing on this matter beginning May 30

duly sworn, deposes and says: That (he) (she) is the Agent to the Publisher of the SIERRA VISTA HERALD and the BISBEE DAILY REVIEW newspapers printed and published six days a week in the County of Cochise, State of Arizona, and of general circulation in the cities of Sierra Vista and Bisbee, County of Cochise, State of Arizona and elsewhere, and thehereto attached

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT NORTHERN SUNRISE WATER COMPANY

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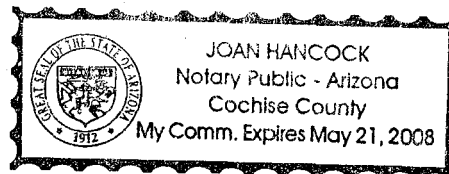
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Notary Public in and for the County of Cochise, Sate of Arizona

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evidentiary hearing on this matter beginning May 30, 2006, at 10:00 a.m., at the Commission's offices, Room 222, 400 West Congress Street, Tucson, Arizona. Public comment will be taken on the first day of the hearing. The law provides for an open public hearing at which, under appropriate circumstances, interested persons may intervene in the proceedings and participate as a party. You may have the right to intervene in the proceeding. Intervention will be in accordance with A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed on or before May 22, 2006. Persons desiring to intervene must file a written motion to intervene with the Commission and send such motion to Applicant or its counsel and to all parties of record. The motion must, at the minimum, contain the following:

1. The name, address, and telephone number of the proposed intervenor and of any party upon whom service of documents is to be made if different from that of the intervenor.

2. A short statement of the proposed intervenor's interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer or potential customer of the Applicant, a shareholder of the Applicant, etc.).

3. A statement certifying that a copy of the motion to intervene has been mailed to the Applicant or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at the hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, failure to intervene will not preclude any interested person or entity from appearing at the hearing and providing public comment on the applications. You will not receive any further notice of this proceeding unless you request it. Comments may also be made by writing to the Commission in care of Docket Control, 1200 W. Washington, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. All correspondence should contain the Docket Nos. W-20453A-06-0247, W-20454-3-0248, and W-20453A-06-251 et al.

If you have any questions about these applications, or want further information on intervention, you may contact the Consumer Services Section of the Commission at 400 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, or call 1-800-222-7000.

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